RESTORATION OF CIVIL RIGHTS

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, it is represented to me as Governor of Kentucky that Stephen Dale Lofton,

Sr. DOB: 11-2-1956, was tried and convicted of the charge (s) of Trafficking in a Controlled

Substance (Cocaine) 1st degree and Assault 4th degree (Domestic Violence on a Family Member)

in the Mason Circuit Court (X) or United States District Court () and was sentenced by said

court to serve a term of six years in the Mason County Jail; and;

WHEREAS, the said <u>Stephen Dale Lofton</u>, <u>Sr.</u> entered said institution on <u>July 8, 2005</u>, and after serving the time required by law, was discharged by <u>final discharge</u> on <u>October 9, 2009</u> and;

WHEREAS, the said <u>Stephen Dale Lofton</u>, <u>Sr.</u> has made application to have his/her civil rights restored;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and by virtue of the authority vested in me by Sections 145 and 150 of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, I, Steven L. Beshear, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby and now restore the right to vote and hold public office denied by judgement of conviction aforesaid and any prior conviction, to the said <u>Stephen Dale Lofton, Sr.</u> and direct all officials of the Commonwealth to be governed accordingly. This order only restores the right to vote and hold public office and <u>does not</u> restore any other civil right including but not limited to the right to receive, possess or transport in commerce a firearm or to serve on a jury.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have caused this order to be made patent, and the Seal of the Commonwealth of Kentucky to be hereto attached.

DONE AT FRANKFORT, this 18 day of Dec. in the year of our Lord two thousand and nine in the year of this Commonwealth the two hundred eighteen.

ATTEST:

Trey Grayson

Secretary of State

Steven L. Beshear, Governor Commonwealth of Kentucky